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Note verbale dated 7 November 2001 from the Permanent Mission of Pakistan to the United Nations (Vienna) addressed to the Secretary-General

The Permanent Mission of Pakistan to the United Nations (Vienna) presents its compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and, in accordance with article IV of the Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space,* has the honour to submit information concerning the launch of Pakistan's second satellite BADR-B, scheduled for 21 November 2001 (see annex).**

* General Assembly resolution 3235 (XXIX), annex.

** The text of the annex was changed by the Secretariat in order to include the actual launch date of 10 December 2001.

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Annex

Registration data for the space launch by Pakistan

Name of the launching State:	Pakistan
Appropriate designator of the space object or its registration number:	BADR-B (SUP002)
Date of the launch:	10 December 2001
Location of the launch:	Baikonur Cosmodrome, Kazakhstan
Planned orbital parameters:	
Apogee:	1,018.63 kilometres
Perigee:	1,018.63 kilometres
Inclination:	99.64 degrees
Period:	105.35 minutes
Local time of ascending node:	0900 ± 15 minutes
Semi-major axis:	7,391.6 kilometres
General function of the space object:	The main scientific goal of the mission is to acquire data on space weather and Earth resources for peaceful purposes.